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Via ECFS

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Re: TelAlaska Cellular, Inc.
Second Progress Report
E911 Location Accuracy, PS Docket No. 07-114

Dear Ms. Dortch:

Pursuant to Section 20.18(i)(4)(ii) of the Commission's Rules, TelAlaska Cellular, Inc. ("TCI") hereby submits its second progress report on implementation of indoor location accuracy improvements.

Please contact the undersigned counsel should you have any questions.

Very truly yours,



D. Cary Mitchell
Its Counsel

TelAlaska Cellular, Inc.
E911 Location Accuracy Progress Report
47 C.F.R. § 20.18(i)(4)(ii)
PS Docket No. 07-114

Second Progress Report


TelAlaska Cellular, Inc. ("TCI" or "the Company") is a very small Tier III wireless carrier that provides wireless voice and data services in 20 remote exchange areas within the Alaska 1 – Wade Hampton CMA (CMA315) and the Alaska-2 Bethel CMA (CMA316) markets. The communities that TCI serves are primarily non-contiguous, with no road service connecting them to other parts of Alaska. Population density for these areas is approximately 0.32 housing units per square mile.

As of the date of this Second Progress Report, there are still no PSAPs authorized by the State of Alaska in TCI's remote service territory. Instead, 9-1-1 calls on TCI's network are either routed to a State Trooper's office in a regional hub or directly to a local police station. TelAlaska continues to transmit all wireless 9-1-1 calls to the appropriate local emergency authority in accordance with its obligations under Section 20.18(b) of the Commission's Rules. There have been no changes in our situation since we filed our First Progress Report last year, and no authorities have requested that the Company provide Phase II Enhanced 911 ("E911") service. As a result, TCI has neither procured nor installed the equipment and services necessary to generate Phase II Automatic Location Information ("ALI") or indoor location data, and we have filed with the FCC a request for temporary waiver of the Commission's indoor accuracy provisions and related reporting requirements.¹

Without prejudice to its pending waiver request, TCI provides this Second Report to demonstrate the Company's awareness of and commitment to meeting the Commission's wireless E911 indoor location accuracy requirements once a PSAP or appropriate local emergency authority in the Company's service area is capable of utilizing such data and submits a formal request.

Please direct any questions concerning this report to our counsel, Mr. Cary Mitchell, of the law firm of Blooston Mordkofsky Dickens Duffy & Prendergast, LLP. He can be reached by telephone at (202) 828-5538, or by email at cary@bloostonlaw.com.

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¹ See Petition for Temporary Waiver of TelAlaska Cellular, Inc., PS Docket No. 07-114, filed May 22, 2017 ("Petition for Waiver").